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The Honorable Brunson McKinley American Embassy Port-au-Prince, Haiti

Dear Mr. Ambassador:

I would like to take this opportunity to express once again our sincere appreciation for your full support for our new operation in Port-au-Prince. We have been seeking to improve our coverage of Haiti for some time, but poor reception conditions at our Key West and Panama Bureaus have always hampered our efforts. We are pleased to have the chance to initiate this new operation in an environment so conducive to what I am sure will be a mutually beneficial arrangement. Certainly, your enthusiastic cooperation, and that of Larry Rossin and the other members of your staff involved, has established an excellent foundation. I'm sure this effort will provide substantial benefits for the Embassy, FBIS, and the Intelligence Community as a whole.

As you know, our Key West Bureau chief, will be coordinating our operation, and we encourage your staff to consult with him on any translation/processing issues or any other questions that may come up. He will also keep in touch with the Embassy and plans to make periodic visits to ensure effective coordination of our efforts.

It was a pleasure talking with you in March. Please let us know whenever you might be in town, and we will be happy to have you over for a visit to our new Headquarters in Reston.

Sincerely,
Director

cc: Chief, Key West Bureau

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